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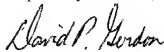
FR2806957 discloses continuous production of bi-axially oriented plastic tubing

RU2167058 discloses biaxial stretching of plastic tubes

RU2142362 discloses a method for manufacturing biaxially oriented tubing from thermoplastic material

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